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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136

Dear Sir:

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Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), Applicants hereby petition that the period for response in which to file a Supplemental Response after Final in the above-referenced patent application, be extended for one month to and including October 4, 2004. Please charge the \$55 extension fee under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(a) or any additional fees to the credit card identified in the attached PTO-2038 form.

Respectfully submitted,

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